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Mr Gordon Solomon  
President  
Merchant Navy Association of Australia  
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Dear Mr Solomon,

This is a request for information about how I might obtain 2 Merchant Navy lapel badges. I have tried sources such as Christies, without success.

On ANZAC Day I wear my WW2, Korea & FESR medals, together with lapel brooches such as RSL, Returned From Active Service, Fleet Air Arm, 805 Squadron, Corvettes Association. But somewhere along the road over the past 60 years I have lost my MN lapel badge and I want to replace it to wear on my left lapel. As well, on my right side I wear my dad also.

If necessary, you can check my authorisation to wear a MN badge by looking at the DVA web site [ww2roll.gov.au](http://ww2roll.gov.au), and searching on my name George Woodfull Stevens under Merchant Navy. Alternatively, page 33 of the January

Hope you can assist.

Sincerely,

George Stevens